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**ANNOUNCEMENT**

**TO : HEADS OF CONSTITUTIONAL BODIES; DEPARTMENTS, BUREAUS AND AGENCIES OF THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT; LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS; GOVERNMENT-OWNED AND/OR CONTROLLED CORPORATIONS; AND STATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES**

**SUBJECT: Training/Development Programs and Events for October 2008**

The Civil Service Commission announces the following training programs and events for October 2008:

<b>DATE</b>	<b>PROGRAM TITLE/ PROGRAM DESCRIPTION/ OBJECTIVE</b>	<b>SPONSORING OFFICE</b>
Oct. 7, 2008	<b>“Orientation on Access to Low Cost Medicines Through Government Institutions Project”</b>  This orientation provides government employees an access to quality and affordable healthcare, among others, the reduction of prices of medicines by half.	Philippine Government Employees Association (PGEA)  PGEA-TUCP Compound, Elliptical Road, Diliman, Quezon City
Oct. 16, 2008	<b>“Seminar on Values Enhancement and Spirituality in Public Sector Unionism”</b>  This activity aims to enhance the values of public workers and provide them knowledge and guidance to become effective and responsible workers and citizens.	Philippine Government Employees Association (PGEA)  PGEA-TUCP Compound, Elliptical Road, Diliman, Quezon City

<p>Oct. 8-10, 2008</p>	<p><b>"11<sup>th</sup> National Occupational Safety and Health Congress"</b></p> <p>The Congress will provide a venue for the exchange of experience and the discussion of trends on occupational safety and health in the Philippines and abroad; to enable OSH stakeholders to review progress under the Zero Accident Program (ZAP); and to set priorities for future action at national, regional and establishment levels.</p>	<p>Occupational Safety and Health Center</p> <p>North Ave. cor Agham Road, Diliman, Quezon City</p>
<p>Oct. 14-16, 2008</p>	<p><b>"Records Disposition Administration"</b></p> <p>This is a knowledge and skills oriented program designed to increase government office efficiency and staff productivity in records and archives administration as well as to increase awareness of government personnel on the retention or disposal of the voluminous records they maintain.</p>	<p>National Archives of the Philippines</p> <p>TNL Bldg., T.M. Kalaw St., Ermita, Manila</p>
<p>Oct. 14-17, 2008</p>	<p><b>"16 National Council Meeting"</b></p> <p>The first part of the activity is the educational forum on the SSS-GSIS Premium contributions and the second part is the forum on the Public Sector Unionism issues and concerns confronting its affiliates and assess the current situations and come up with recommendation/s.</p>	<p>Alliance of Government Workers in the Water Sector</p> <p>7<sup>th</sup> floor, Metropolitan Cebu Water District Main Office cor. Magallanes-Lapu-lapu Sts., Cebu City</p>
<p>Oct. 5-11, 2008</p>	<p><b>"Moral and Spiritual Guidance Week"</b></p> <p>Theme: <i>"Strong Family; Builds a Strong Nation"</i></p> <p>To enjoy the citizenry regardless of religious faith to pray as one nation in pleading the Almighty God for His Divine Intercession to use the Filipino Families in leading the country to the road of peace, stability unity and progress.</p>	<p>National Social Action Council</p> <p>Apostolic Catholic Church, North EDSA, Veterans Village, Proj. 7, Quezon City</p>

Oct. 16-17, 2008	<p align="center"><b>“Annual National Convention”</b></p> <p>The convention will cover current issues and trends that can impact on or influence development planning especially at the local level, the situs of many development initiatives. It will bring together participants from the national government agencies, local government units, civil society organizations and the business/private sector from all over the country.</p>	<p align="center">Philippine Institute of Environmental Planners</p> <p align="center">G/F School of Urban and Regional Planning Bldg., University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City</p>
Oct. 27-29, 2008	<p align="center"><b>Seminar- Workshop on “Conservation of Documentary Heritage Collection”</b></p> <p>The activity aims (1) to have more understanding of the nature of documentary collection and their management; (2) to be able to apply easy and practical methods of document handling and repair; and (3) to have more time learning new knowledge and skills in the conservation of their documentary heritage collection.</p>	<p align="center">Society of Filipino Archivists, Inc.</p> <p align="center">P.O. Box 171 UP, Diliman Quezon City</p>
Oct. 28-29, 2008	<p align="center"><b>“Seminar- Workshop on Leadership and Capacity Building for Young Public Sector Workers”</b></p> <p>This activity aims to develop young public sector workers’ skills and enable more youth to become agents of change for good governance.</p>	<p align="center">Philippine Government Employees Association(PGEA)</p> <p align="center">PGEA-TUCP Compound, Elliptical Road, Diliman, Quezon City</p>

Detailed information may be obtained directly from the respective program sponsors.

  
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